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SO STANDARD THE SOUTH OF THE SO PALATABLE, SUSTAINED RELEASE DRUG GRANUL

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AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 1, 2001, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows:

In the Claims

Please amend claims 1, 8, and 19 as follows:

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